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(PCT Article 36 and Rule 70)

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Box No. V Reasoned statement under Article 35(2) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement	
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International application No.

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Box No. I Basis of the report

1. With regard to the language, this report is based on the international application in the language in which it was filed, unless otherwise indicated under this item.

This report is based on a translation from the original language into the following language _____, which is the language of a translation furnished for the purposes of:

international search (under Rules 12.3 and 23.1(b))

publication of the international application (under Rule 12.4)

international preliminary examination (under Rules 55.2 and/or 55.3)

2. With regard to the elements of the international application, this report is based on (replacement sheets which have been furnished to the receiving Office in response to an invitation under Article 14 are referred to in this report as "originally filed" and are not annexed to this report):

the international application as originally filed/furnished

the description:

pages _____ as originally filed/furnished

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the claims:

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the description, pages _____

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the description, pages _____

the claims, Nos. _____

the drawings, sheets/figs _____

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any table(s) related to the sequence listing (specify): _____

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Box No. V Reasoned statement under Article 35(2) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement

1. Statement

Novelty (N)	Claims	<u>1 - 74</u>	YES
	Claims	_____	NO
Inventive step (IS)	Claims	<u>1 - 74</u>	YES
	Claims	_____	NO
Industrial applicability (IA)	Claims	<u>1 - 74</u>	YES
	Claims	_____	NO

2. Citations and explanations (Rule 70.7)

Reference is made to the following documents:

D1: EP 1246057 A2
 D2: US 6209131 B1

Document D1 relates to a remote program downloading system for remotely rewriting software installed into an apparatus connected to a network via a digital transmission path.

D2 describes an apparatus and a method for displaying program guide information in a display device, and more particularly to an apparatus and method for processing additional information in a display device, which are capable of when a scheduled program has been changed, automatically detecting such a situation and notifying a viewer of the change.

The object of the invention is to solve the problem which occurs when sessions transmitted through a network are updated.

Claim 1-74

From D1 a system is known (see abstract and paragraphs 8-37), where program data is generated by configuring a plurality of modules based on a relationship between dependence of the modules composing the program. Then, generated two versions of program data is compared starting from a head address of each of the program data, and data at an address, and thereafter, where the data first makes a difference is extracted to generate difference data. Further, a centre holds the latest version of program and at least one item of difference data,

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Supplemental Box

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Continuation of: **Box V**

and transmits the whole data of program or difference data corresponding to a program version in a terminal apparatus, and the program is updated in the terminal apparatus using the received data.

The terminal can choose to update the data voluntarily (selectively) or the centre can update the data in the terminal automatically (paragraph 62).

D2 describes an apparatus and a method for displaying program guide information in a display device, and more particularly to an apparatus and method for processing additional information in a display device, which are capable of when a scheduled program has been changed, automatically detecting such a situation and notifying a viewer of the change (see abstract).

However, The cited documents represent the general state of the art.

The invention defined in claims 1-74 is not disclosed by any of these documents.

The cited prior art does not give any indication that would lead a person skilled in the art to the claimed method, computer program, apparatus and system for updating session announcements via separate sets as described in these claims.

Therefore, the claimed invention is not obvious to a person skilled in the art.

Accordingly, the invention defined in claims 1-74 is novel and is considered to involve an inventive step. The invention is industrially applicable.